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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

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For: PREVENTION OF RETINAL INJURY AND DEGEN-
 ERATION BY SPECIFIC FACTORS

Enclosed are:

- ☒ 6 sheets of drawings.
- ☐ An assignment of the invention to _____.
- ☐ A certified copy of a _____ application.
- ☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 37 CFR 1.27.
- ☐ An executed declaration of inventorship.
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- ☐ A preliminary amendment.

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Respectfully submitted,

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